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Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions

1. The Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions has considered the report of the Secretary-General on the financing of the United Nations Observer Mission in Liberia (UNOMIL) (A/C.5/48/40, paras. 105-109).

2. The Security Council, by resolution 866 (1993) of 22 September 1993, decided, inter alia, to establish UNOMIL for a period of seven months, subject to the proviso that it would continue beyond 16 December 1993 only upon review by the Council.

3. As indicated in paragraph 107 of the Secretary-General's report, for the initial requirements of the Mission, the Advisory Committee authorized the Secretary-General to enter into commitments not exceeding $3.3 million, under the provisions of General Assembly resolution 46/187 on unforeseen and extraordinary expenses.

4. As indicated in paragraph 108 of the Secretary-General's report, the total cost of UNOMIL for the period from 22 September 1993 to 21 April 1994, inclusive of the amount of $3.3 million authorized by the Advisory Committee, would be $40,318,000 gross ($39,560,800 net). The Advisory Committee recommends that the General Assembly authorize the further commitment of $37,018,000 gross ($36,260,800 net) and assessment of this amount.

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